Table 5.25-- WATER QUALITY AT PUBLIC BEACHES, BY ISLANDS: 1999 AND 2000

			Enterococci density 1/			
Island	Number of locations	Number of samples	Lowest 2/	Highest 3/	Number over 7	Mean 4/
1999						
State total	105	3,158	0.3	872.3	21	2.2
Hawaii Hilo Shoreline Kona Shoreline Maui Lanai Molokai Oahu Kauai	22 11 11 25 - - 39 19	618 313 305 945 - - 1,042 553	0.3 0.5 0.3 0.5 (X) (X) 0.4 0.9	14.5 7.9 14.5 3.9 (X) (X) 872.3 139.7	3 1 2 - (X) (X) (X) 11 7	1.8 2.6 1.2 1.2 (X) (X) (X) 2.7 4.4
State total	64	1,910	0.3	101.3	7	2.3
Hawaii Hilo Shoreline Kona Shoreline Maui Lanai Molokai Oahu Kauai	12 6 6 18 - - 18 16	259 106 153 419 - - 681 551	0.3 0.5 0.5 (X) (X) 0.8 0.4	22.0 22.0 5.1 7.7 (X) (X) 26.9 101.3	2 2 1 (X) (X) 1 3	1.5 3.1 1.0 1.6 (X) (X) 2.5 3.3

X Not applicable.

Source: Hawaii State Department of Health, Clean Water Branch, records.

<sup>1/</sup> Geometric mean, number per 100 ml. The geometric mean standard for Enterococci density is 7 per 100 ml.

<sup>2/</sup> The lowest average value in 1999 was reported at Kona Coast Park on the island of Hawaii. The lowest average value in 2000 was reported at multiple beaches on the islands of Hawaii and Maui.

<sup>3/</sup> The highest average value in 1999 was that reported for the Ala Wai Canal at the McCully Street Bridge on Oahu. The highest average value in 2000 was that reported for Hanamaulu Beach on Kauai.

<sup>4/</sup> Not weighted by number of samples.